

One of my sparring partners in the old days at El Dorado, Ark., when electric service to the oil fields was uncertain and high-priced, was A. G. (Al) Whidden of Pine Bluff, advertising manager and public relations director for the Arkansas Power & Light Co.

But time wore on, service got better, the rates came down, I moved to Hope, and Al Whidden retired. Last word I had from him was dated Florida—until this morning. This morning he is writing me from Manhattan Beach (306 17th St.), Calif.

Al encloses two clippings. One is the picture of a big Hope watermelon being carved up for the youngsters at the Los Angeles Orphan Home. The cutlines in Los Angeles Times tell me the melon was given Attorney Jerry Giesler of Los Angeles by the mayor of Hope, and Giesler's daughter is shown in the picture carving up the melon for the kids.

Giesler is the great criminal lawyer of the West Coast. The melon was sent him by John L. Wilson, Hope's mayor-elect. Thanks to John it was a big publicity "play" for Hope—Los Angeles Times put that picture across four columns, truly an extraordinary space for a metropolitan paper.

The other item Whidden sent me, presumably from the same paper, was a Reuters (British) dispatch from Melbourne, Australia. Says Reuters:

"Poultry Breeder Fred Haymes is no longer awakened by his roosters crowing before dawn.

"After studying what he calls 'fool psychology,' he built the perches high against the roof of his chicken house. He noticed roosters stretch their necks before crowing.

"Now when they want to crow they bump their heads against the roof and change their minds," he said."

## KXAR to Carry Home Games of Southern State

Magnolia, Sept. 14—Football fans in and around Hempstead and Ouachita counties who cannot attend Mulderider home games at Southern State College here this year will be able to tune them in on the newly formed Mulderider Network.

Radio Stations KAMD in Camden and KXAR in Hope will broadcast the five Southern State home games as a public service. L. B. Tooley, manager of KXAR, and Dave Cockett, manager of KAMD, have announced that their stations will broadcast the games beginning at 8 p. m. on each of the five home game evenings.

Richard Tuck, station manager of KVMA in Magnolia, instituted the idea for the Mulderider network. Although KVMA, a 1,000-watt daytime station will be unable to broadcast the games locally because of FCC time limitations, personnel of the station have volunteered their time to produce the play-by-play broadcast for KXAR and KAMD.

Dr. Dolph Camp, president of Southern State, expressed hope that the Mulderider Network may be expanded to include other Arkansas stations at the end of the football season, when production of educational programs is planned.

## Joe Propps Relief Theater Manager

Joe Propps, assistant city manager for Malco Theatres, Inc., at Fayetteville, is finishing up the relief manager's assignment for the Saenger and Rialto houses in Hope during the vacation of Manager Eddie Holland. The original relief was Jack Bundy, Hope native, who, however, was transferred the first of the week to a similar assignment at McGehee. Mr. Bundy regularly is assistant city manager for Malco at Fort Smith, where Remmel Young is manager.

Mr. Propps, who will be here until next Tuesday, is a native of Nashville, son of C. C. Propps, manager of Owen's department store in the Howard county city.

Gold can be beaten so thin that an ounce will cover an area of 146 square feet.

## Markets

Wheat prices advanced fractionally in a rather inactive market. Hogs were steady to 25 cents lower and cattle were steady.

Cotton futures opened 10 to 35 cents a bale higher. Wholesale meat was steady to strong.

New York 2 p. m. October Cotton 34.69.

News that the government was extending its price support program to poorer grades of wheat brought buying into the bread cereal on the Chicago Board of Trade today.

Wheat scored fractional gains but dealings were not very active. The rest of the market, after slipping at the start, steadied in sympathy with wheat. September soybeans, however, continued under the previous close in a nervous trade.

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## WEATHER FORECAST

Arkansas: Partly cloudy, a little warmer this afternoon tonight, Saturday.

Temperature  
High 63 Low 65  
Rainfall 1.23

## Speculation on Arkansas Politics

By WILLIAM W. HUGHES

Little Rock, Sept. 14 —(UP)—A barrage of trial balloons is being unleashed by prospective Arkansas political candidates this week.

Most political observers agree that the lineup for the 1952 Arkansas state and congressional primaries won't be ready to jell until after the first of the year. But that does not prevent the ambitious from putting out feelers.

Several men are reported ready to campaign for congressional seats. State Sen. Guy Jones of Conway is trying to find out if he could get enough Pulaski county support to make the race for representative from the fifth district against incumbent Brooks Hays of Little Rock. Jones' friends claim he could get a majority from the other counties in the district but that he might have trouble taking the heavy Pulaski vote away from hometown Hays.

State Sen. Lawrence Blackwell is deliberating a race against Congressman W. F. Norrell in the 6th district. Blackwell said today, however, that he is considering "all angles" for such a step before making any announcement.

In North Arkansas is speculation that still another state senator Russell Elrod of Siloam Springs, might enter the congressional melee. Elrod's opponent would be Rep. J. C. Trimble of Berryville.

The most interesting congressional race undoubtedly will be in the newly-consolidated 4th district. Due to a population loss in the 1950 census, the 4th and 7th districts got the merger treatment under congressional reapportionment by the 1951 legislature.

This means that Rep. Harris of El Dorado, now the representative from the 7th, is almost certain to draw new opposition. If Boyd Tackett decides against running for governor, he is almost sure to be one of Harris' opponents. Tackett now represents the 4th district.

The picture hasn't changed much as far as prospects for the gubernatorial races are concerned. Ed Sivemore is willing to agree that Syd McMath will seek a third term and that his major opponents will be picked from a field that includes President C. Hamilton Mose of the Arkansas Power and Light Co., Attorney General Lee Murry, and Tackett of Nashville.

The feeling is that Mose and Tackett will reach an agreement sometime in January or February as to which will make the race and which will drop out. Murry still contends that the eventual Mose-Tackett agreement will not affect his own decision. But the attorney general has not made up his mind yet.

The race for lieutenant governor already has three prospects eyeing the job.

Nathan Gordon might run for a fourth term. But he is reported ready to run for attorney general if Murry makes the race for governor. And some of Gordon's friends insist that the young war hero may decide to step out of politics altogether. In any event, State Sen. Clyde Byrd of El Dorado and State Rep. Paul Van Falsen of Perryville both are on record as willing to make the campaign for lieutenant governor if Gordon does not try for re-election.

A trial balloon also climbed into the sky this week from State Rep. M. D. Angin of Carroll county. That colorful legislator is ready to run for attorney general.

Secretary of State C. G. Hall may find opposition from Jim Malone, Jr., son of former judge and one-time gubernatorial Candidate J. M. Malone. Young Malone said he had been encouraged to make the race.

Sam Jones of Little Rock said some time ago that he might make a second try for state treasurer against incumbent J. Vance Clayton.

The plans of Circuit Judge Millard Hardin of Newport still are unknown. Hardin once was prominently mentioned as a possible gubernatorial candidate. But he suffered a heart attack last year and apparently has not made up his mind to chance the rigors of a tough statewide campaign.

## Merchandising Award Won by 2 Hope Persons

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Church of Oklahoma Tire and Supply Company in Hope have returned from a fall merchandising meeting and toy show held in Tulsa, Oklahoma, headquarters for the company.

In the merchandising contest held by the company which ran for 13 weeks Mrs. Larkin Bohannon of the Hope store won a \$50.00 prize and Mr. Church won a \$25.00 prize.

Five hundred representatives from Oklahoma Tire and Supply stores attended the meeting.



CRUSADE FOR FREEDOM — Governor Allen Shivers signs a scroll giving his support to the nationwide campaign to raise money to build a radio station to fight Communism in the free countries of Europe and Asia. Looking on is H. B. Burleson, city chairman of Crusade for Freedom in Austin, Texas. (NEA Telephoto)



REPORTS ON FAR EAST TRIP — Thomas E. Dewey, right, Republican Governor of New York who was defeated by President Truman in the last election, is greeted by the Chief Executive as he arrived at the White House in Washington to report on his recent trip to the Far East. (NEA Telephoto)

## Two-County School Meet Planned Oct. 8

At a planning meeting here Wednesday of school representatives from Hempstead and Nevada counties, it was decided to have a joint in-service conference for all teachers and other school personnel from the two counties at Prescott High School on Monday, Oct. 8.

Consultants from the State Department of Education, Southern State College at Magnolia, Henderson State Teachers College at Arkadelphia and others if needed will be on hand to aid in this conference.

The day's schedule will begin at 8:30 and teachers will be divided into groups according to grades taught, for example, teachers of grades 1 to 3, 4 to 6, 7 to 9 and 10 to 12 will be in separate groups in the general fields of audio-visual aids, library materials and health.

There will be special sessions for lunchroom workers, school custodians and bus drivers.

All teachers and other school employees are expected to attend. PTA members or any other person interested in the school program in any school in either county are invited to attend if they so desire.

Special committees have been appointed to work with each group. In groups 4 to 6 and 10 to 12 the following Hempstead County teachers have been named on committees to arrange activities for the day. The committee for the 4 to 6 group is Miss Maunie Bell Holt, principal of Paisley School in Hope.

Mr. Homer Reeves, sixth grade teacher at Palmos, Mrs. E. W. Copeland, teacher at Spring Hill, Mrs. Hazel Pritchard, county librarian, and E. R. Brown, county school supervisor. The committee to serve on the 10 to 12 group is Horace Hubbard, high school teacher from Hope, Miss Mary Ester Edmiston, high school teacher from Palmos, Mrs. Emma Turner from Spring Hill, Mrs. Hazel Pritchard and E. R. Brown.

The above named committees will meet in the Hempstead County School Supervisor's office at 9 o'clock Saturday morning, September 22.

## Hopewell PTA Fish Fry Set For Saturday

Hopewell Elementary PTA is sponsoring a Fish Fry Saturday at the home of the President, Corine Bean and the proceeds will be used to help pay for a school projector.

The association held its first meeting of the year Wednesday and heard reports from Ophelia Logan, Ophelia Gladney and Helen Flenory on the state workshop. Twenty-one members were present.

## Prime Minister Won't Rearm the Japanese

Tokyo, Sept. 14 —(AP)—Prime Minister Shigeru Yoshida, the little, cigar smoking statesman who guided Japan along the road to independence, told the Japanese people today he would refuse to rearm this vanquished nation.

The 72-year-old Yoshida's stand was viewed in some quarters as indicating that he would step out of office just as soon as the historic U.S.-Japan security pact is ratified and becomes law.

He instructed his countrymen to keep faith with the Western world. Yoshida made his remarks at a news conference only three hours after he returned from San Francisco where he saw Japan once again take its place among the nations of the world.

He spoke in the beautiful prime minister's residence behind the diet (parliament) building.

Yoshida was asked point blank whether Japan would have to rearm after the security pact goes into effect.

Yoshida answered in almost inaudible tones.

An Associated Press Japanese reporter said he heard Yoshida say: "That's up to Japan. But as far as I am concerned I won't carry it (the rearmament program) out."

The Japanese news agency Kyodo quoted Yoshida as saying "I am not in favor of rearming."

Yoshida, dressed in diplomatic black, gave these words of guidance.

"What I would especially like to request of the Japanese people at this time is their awareness of the fact that the greater the expectations placed in us the greater our responsibility. We must not betray the hopes placed in us by other nations. We must of course abide faithfully by the terms of the peace treaty."

"We must also democratize our nation to the fullest extent, deepen our understanding with other countries, and contribute to the peace, culture and prosperity of the world."

"By doing this, I believe we can best contribute to the building of a New Japan."

Of the historic Japanese peace treaty itself, Yoshida said: "The conclusion of the Japanese peace treaty and the United States-Japan security treaty is indeed a matter for deep gratification."

## October 1, Is Deadline to Pay Taxes

Midnight, October 1, is the deadline for paying taxes and purchasing poll tax receipts, it was announced today by Hempstead County Sheriff Claude Sutton.

After that date a penalty will be assessed in addition to taxes. There are no exceptions — all taxes both real estate and personal must be paid by October 1.

The sheriff's office is a scene of activity and it won't get any better prior to the deadline. With only two weeks left residents of Hempstead are advised to pay their taxes as soon as possible and avoid the rush the last few days.

## Attack May Mean Bombing of Manchuria

8th Air Force Headquarters, Korea, Sept. 14 —(UP)—Major Gen. Frank P. Everest, commanding the 8th Air Force, said today he "would assume" that an all-out Communist aerial attack would mean the lifting of present restrictions against bombing Red air bases in Manchuria. There are increasing signs that such an attack may be imminent.

Everest said he had noted an increasing Red air build-up. It is estimated that the Communists now have more than 1,000 planes, "predominantly jet fighters," and including twin-engine light bombers of an improved World War II type, he said.

"Current restrictions do not permit me to attack airdromes across the Yalu river," Everest told this correspondent. "But I would assume that if the United Nations forces were attacked in force from the air, some of these restrictions would be lifted."

Everest said the Communists would rely heavily upon their beefed-up Soviet-trained air force if they decided to launch another big ground offensive.

I do not think they would try another push like the one they tried last spring, where we have virtually uncontested air superiority," Everest said. "We gave them a bloody nose then, and the 8th army is stronger now than it was."

The 47-year-old former fighter pilot tapped tobacco into a cigar and rolled his cigarette, licked the paper and grinned.

"Personally, I'd like to see them try it. They would cause us some embarrassment but the only way we can get at them is if they come over."

Everest repeated the air force maxim that the best form of defense against air attack is a counter-attack against enemy bases. The majority of these bases lie in the "sanctuary" of Manchuria which his planes can not now bomb.

The Reds now have "a cross section of a good tactical air force," Everest said, and it would increase in size "if recent trends are continued."

The Chinese and North Korean Reds have a force which includes "World War II light bombers with improvements, which would approximate our B-26," he said.

"The bulk of this force is made up of fighter type aircraft and jet aircraft are predominant, although there are some conventional fighters," Everest said.

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## Equalization Board to Adjourn for a Week

The Hempstead Equalization Board, in session at the courthouse for the past four weeks, will adjourn this afternoon until Monday, September 24.

The board has been going over the county tax books equalizing and raising many assessments in an effort to gain additional revenue for benefit of the county schools.

No member of the board will be at the courthouse next week but taxpayers can discuss their tax problems with the group anytime during the week of September 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Press Walker of Hope has completed basic training at Lackland Field, and will take up training as an air policeman at Camp Gordon, Georgia.

## Huge Military Bill, More Than Sought, Passed

Washington, Sept. 14 —(AP)—A gigantic military spending bill carrying \$593,000,000 — nearly two billions more than President Truman asked — won unopposed senate approval late yesterday.

After four days of warm debate, the senate passed the biggest single military money bill in history, 79 to 0, and sent it back to the house, which voted 347 to 232-430 less.

Senator O'Mahoney (D-Wyo) who steered the measure through the senate, said a senate-house conference committee probably would begin attempts at ironing out scores of differences early next week.

Biggest of these is an extra \$3,000,000,000 the senate added to beef up U. S. airpower and carry on work on new secret weapons.

After beating down efforts to slash five or six billion dollars out of the measure, O'Mahoney agreed to a cut of \$1,575,840,400 just before passage.

Senator Flanders (R-Vt) first lost 49 to 29 in a move to hold the total of \$593,000,000.

Senator Langer (R-Nd) forced a second test on chopping off \$5,000,000,000. That went down 51 to 29.

Senator H. Alexander Smith (R-NJ) then moved to whittle out 5 per cent, or more than \$3,000,000,000. He had support of senators Ferguson (R-Mich), Case (R-Ind) Flanders, Taft (R-Ohio) and George D-Ga.

O'Mahoney suggested holding the cut to 2 1/2 per cent. Sponsors agreed and this went through on a voice vote.

As the reduction provision is worded, the secretary of defense could make this cut on selected items in the bill, or on all of them.

Earlier, Senator Douglas (D-Ill) won approval of an amendment designed to reduce sharply the number of men and officers who receive extra flying pay.

## Junior, Senior High PTAs Elect New Officers

An organizational meeting uniting Junior and Senior High Parent Teachers Associations was held yesterday with Mrs. Jim McKenzie council president, presiding.

Newly elected officers: Mrs. Albert Graves, president, Mrs. R. L. Broach, vice president, Mrs. George Peck, secretary and Mrs. Claude Willey as parliamentarian.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. Broach presided and Mrs. P. J. Holt read the president's message.

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## Biggest Asset in Fight to Stave Off Inflation Is U. S. Industrial Machines

By HAL BOYLE  
New York — (AP)—The economists are predicting inflation again. They say that as more factories turn to war production the supply of many civilian goods will dwindle. The prices of these will naturally rise, and bingo — inflation.

The financial pundits are already giving advice on how to beat inflation. Latest, I've been reading this advice in preference to the cornies page. It's funnier.

One of their favorite topics is what to put your money in as "a hedge against inflation." One suggestion is to buy diamonds and hold them.

So you stroll into Tiffany's and tell the clerk "I want that pretty bauble, and that one, and that other one over there. Just for a hedge against inflation, you know. Charge."

Diamonds? The average man is in a better position to buy ping-pong balls. You can at least go home and play a game with them, while inflation rages outside the window.

Real estate is another favorite "hedge" for the experts. But the ordinary guy already is up to his pocketbook paying off the mortgage on his house. He couldn't buy the Empire State building even with a certificate of character from the RFC.

"The worst thing about this inflation talk is the weapon it is giving wives," complained one husband. "My wife came up to me the other night and said, 'Well, I guess I'd better buy a fur coat quick — they say inflation is coming.'"

I told her we'd better keep the little nest egg in the bank.

## State Police Arrest 220 During August

Last month State Police, headquarters in Hope, made a total of 220 arrests which brought 189 convictions and 11 were released to other officers.

During this period warnings were given to 387 motorists in checks throughout the district. Lights collected and 775 were checked. A total of 776 brakes were checked.

Four stolen automobiles were recovered and stolen property valued at \$4,750 was recovered. Unlicensed drivers arrested total 47 and 18 unlicensed vehicles were discovered.

A total of 27 drunk drivers were arrested during the month.

## Pact Nations to Meet in Canada

Ottawa, Sept. 14 —(AP)—A determined effort to strengthen the economic underpinning of Western Europe's rearmament program is expected to be made here during the next week by the 12 nations composing of the North Atlantic alliance.

A meeting of deputies of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (Nato), Ambassador Charles M. Chairman, was scheduled for this afternoon (2 p. m.), est), to complete a report on joint defense problems.

The report will form the basis of much of the work to be done by the council. A week of sessions of the council will be opened Saturday (11:30 a. m. est) by Chairman Paul Van Zeeland, Belgian foreign minister.

Critical defense economic problems, for which the meeting here is due to seek solutions, include inflation in the armament counts of Western Europe. Expanded plans for allocation of raw materials to keep prices down and means of easing the impact of European civilian economies.

Leslie B. Pearson, Canadian minister for external affairs, told would be to define the relationship between rearmament and economic programs in the recent nations.

Pearson also said he believed the council, consisting primarily of foreign ministers, would adopt a resolution reaffirming its faith in creation of a full-fledged Atlantic community out of the present, essentially military alliance.

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## Little Damage in House Fire

A house fire at Edgewood and East Shore yesterday resulted in slight damage. Local firemen said the blaze in the Negro residence was caused from a cook stove.

The fire broke out in the kitchen of a two-story house at Edgewood and East Shore. The fire was contained by the time the firemen arrived.

The fire was caused by a gas leak from a cook stove. The firemen arrived within five minutes and extinguished the fire.

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There are a number of people, not including wives, who feel the best way to whip inflation is to buy a three-car garage, even though they don't need one, on the grounds they will soon be in short supply.

Trouble is that the average man doesn't need a hedge against inflation. He needs a cyclone collar and some common sense.

There is no way possible he can "beat inflation" any more than King Canute could turn back the tide. All he can do is to tighten his belt, spend his money as wisely as he can — and hope for better times.

America — and the rest of the world — have been in an inflation practically ever since the end of the last war. If it gets worse, as seems likely, it is bound to hurt the mass of the people — not the inflations always do.

This country is putting much of its wealth and productive energy in guns to buy peace. Usually you can't have guns and butter both. The theory this time is that our productive capacity is risen so much that we can soon almost do that. Maybe not as much butter as we'd like — but more butter than any other nation ever did before under the same circumstances.

That is our only real hedge against inflation: The ability of our industrial machine to turn out the guns we need and the comfort gadgets we like — at the same time. And it'll take some doing.

Meanwhile it's nice to keep a little nest egg in the bank.

## Bloody Fighting Gives U. N. More Korean Hills

U. S. Eighth Army Headquarters, Korea, Sept. 14 —(AP)—United Nations doughboys today wrested a towering peak from bitterly resisting Reds north of Yanguu in the bloody "battle of the hills" ground on in eastern Korea.

On the other end of the peninsula, six Russian-type T-34 tanks and two self-propelled guns were spotted west of Yonchon. They were immediately attacked by U. N. artillery, planes and tanks.

An Allied briefing officer said they were dug in, and apparently designed for defensive purposes in the Reds.

In the air war, Allied planes roared through Korean skies, on close support missions for the infantry and aching attacks at Red supply lines.

One marine Corsair fighter was downed by Communist ground fire, first time in six days there were The Fifth Air Force said there was no chance of pilot survival. For the no reports of jet battles.

Ground action was concentrated along the spiky ridges of Korean's eastern front.

The U. N. foot troops captured a towering mountain peak there after getting reports that it was thinly defended.

But die-hard North Koreans refused a U. N. attack on another mountain to the west.

A briefing officer said Allied troops on one mountain slope "received" a "nasty" 1.5-inch amount of Red mortar fire.

The Red tanks in the West were spotted west of Yonchon, about seven miles north of Paralle 38. It is on the main north-south road from Seoul to Chonwon.

Three were seen on a road in the valley, and three others and the two guns on a nearby ridge.

An Allied tank force moved up to within 2,000 yards and opened fire.

Warplanes roared down, barging down, attacking the tanks. Air observers made the immediate claims. One report said that after the first attack, the tank crews broke from cover to replace camouflage knocked off by the blast of explosions.

The vehicles were dug in with only the tops of their hulls and hoods showing above ground.

The Marines in the east apparently were reaching the main Red defense lines. Dense fields of anti-personnel mines were reported.

The Communists, both Chinese and North Korean, defended their positions to the last. Hand grenades were killed by bullet, bomb and gas.

The fighting was concentrated at several points from the Kumsong sector of east-central Korea to the higher hills near Kamsong on the east coast.

The toughest going was generally north of the "punchbowl," an egg-shaped valley in the tall hills north of Inja. This was the scene of the marine advance.



## Man's Fifth Wife Seeks Divorce

Los Angeles, Sept. 13 — (AP) — The fifth wife of Adolph H. Spreckels, 57, 39-year-old wife to a sugar fortune, has sued him for divorce, alleging cruelty.

The former Kay Williams, 33, who married Spreckels six years ago, asked the court in her suit yesterday to end her estranged mate from the Bell Air mansion they occupy. She claims Spreckels persists in staying there although they became estranged Sept. 5.

Mrs. Spreckels, former actress, alleged in her complaint that he had used physical violence on her without provocation. She asks \$3,000 monthly alimony and support of their two children, Adolph III, 2, and Joan, 8 months. She wants custody of them and a division of community property. The complaint says Spreckels controls a fortune of several millions of dollars.

Spreckels' lawyer said shortly after the suit was filed that he was authorized by his client to say that she still loves and respects her husband and feels the divorce action was unwarranted and precipitous. Mrs. Spreckels was married once before to Martin De Alana (1920-1924) in 1924. He was a millionaire who died in 1924. She divorced him in 1924. Spreckels' lawyer said shortly after the suit was filed that he was authorized by his client to say that she still loves and respects her husband and feels the divorce action was unwarranted and precipitous.

## Hog Prices Hit a New Low

Little Rock, Sept. 13 (AP) — Greater Little Rock's livestock market prices for some grades of hogs hit a new low yesterday.

Put C. Hogan said the price of choice hogs between 180 and 240 pounds was \$20.00. The price had been \$22.75 to \$23 he said.

Hogan blamed the hot weather, which has cut consumption of pork, for the decline.

## ELECTROCUTED

Fort Worth, Tex., Sept. 13 (AP) — A Texas Christian university freshman was electrocuted by a kite yesterday.

Gerald Wilbur Ottum, 18, was flying his kite with a thin wire in a yard across the street from his home. The kite fell behind a house. The wire struck a 7,000-volt power line. Ottum apparently was killed instantly.

Mobile, Ala., was the first capital of all French possessions in America.

grandson of the late Louis Spreckels, founder of the fortune, has been divorced from the former Lela Quatrini Clark, New York banker's daughter, Gloria Dees, 24, society woman, Geraldine Spreckels, his distant cousin, and the former Baroness Emily von Rumberg.

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## Lovett Gets Approval of Senate

Washington, Sept. 13 (AP) — Robert A. Lovett was approved unanimously by the senate armed services committee today as successor to Gen. George C. Marshall as secretary of defense.

The committee approved the nomination without calling Lovett to testify.

Sen. Ralph Flanders (R-Vt.) told reporters Lovett has been before the committee on numerous occasions.

Most members of the committee praised Lovett's selection for the top defense post. A few Republican senators renewed attacks on Marshall, but a majority of the legislators expressed their confidence in Lovett.

Mobile, Ala., was the first capital of all French possessions in America.

grandson of the late Louis Spreckels, founder of the fortune, has been divorced from the former Lela Quatrini Clark, New York banker's daughter, Gloria Dees, 24, society woman, Geraldine Spreckels, his distant cousin, and the former Baroness Emily von Rumberg.

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## Big Three Discusses Inflation

Washington, Sept. 13 (AP) — The United States, Britain and France today discussed a major threat to the West's defense buildup: inflation.

How to keep inflation from the reinforcement drive and along with it the economies of Western Europe was a topic of talks by the Big Three foreign ministers.

Secretary of the Treasury Snyder, British Treasury Chief Hugh Gaitskill and French Finance Minister Rene Mayer met in the morning.

The three foreign ministers, Secretary of State Acheson, British Foreign Minister Herbert Morrison and France's Robert Schuman, last night agreed on main terms for a partnership deal which would allow the West Germans to contribute forces to the Western alliance.

Today, it was reported reliably, the ministers confirmed Big Three unity on measures to protect their nations behind the Iron Curtain.

Informal officials said the ministers agreed that such unity already exists, as evidence by yesterday's joint ban on Czechoslovakian airline flights over Germany and France.

The move presumably was a measure of retaliation for Czechoslovakian refusal to release AP correspondent William Oatis from a Prague jail where he is serving a ten year sentence on charges of espionage. The charges have been denounced in the free world as farcical.

The foreign ministers, after a 75-minute morning session, adjourned their talks until 3 p. m. (EST) today to clear up remaining items on their agenda.

American, British and French high commissioners who helped wrap up details are due to leave for Bonn this weekend for the final negotiations with West German Chancellor Konrad Adenauer and other leaders. Diplomats hope the Bonn parliament will accept the plan by the time the North Atlantic council meets late next month in Rome.

Last night's meeting was the sixth roundtable session of Secretary of State Acheson, British Foreign Secretary Herbert Morrison, French Foreign Minister Robert Schuman and their advisers.

Another foreign meeting was scheduled today to take up a handful of remaining issues, with heavy emphasis on the inflationary effects of the Western defense buildup.

Tomorrow, Morrison, Schuman and the American delegation including Acheson, Secretary of the Treasury Snyder, ECA Administrator William C. Foster and Secretary of the Army Pace will leave by plane for the Ottawa meeting of the 12-nation North Atlantic Treaty Organization.

20. In addition to the business sessions, there will be a golf tournament on Tuesday afternoon Sept. 25 at the Hot Springs Country club and a reception given by Arkansas newspapers at the Arlington hotel Sunday evening Sept. 23.

SNPA met here four years ago.

## To Contract 14 State Road Projects

Little Rock, Sept. 14 — (AP) — Fourteen road and bridge building contracts are to be awarded at a meeting of the Arkansas highway commission here Sept. 28.

Three new bridges and 67.94 miles of road construction, were included in the commission's order, announcing opening of bids on that date.

The projects by counties include: Jefferson county — Construction of 12.5 miles of grading, minor drainage structures, gravel base course and double bituminous surface treatment on the Cornerstone-Reydel road, state highway 98 (federal aid).

Sebastian county — About six tenths of a mile of grading, minor drainage structures, gravel base course and double bituminous surface treatment on the Cornerstone-Reydel road, state highway 98 (federal aid).

Saline county — Construction of 10.5 miles of grading and minor drainage structures and one concrete and structural steel bridge on state highway 67 between Little Rock and Benton (federal aid).

Ouchita county — About 1.5 miles of grading, crushed stone base course and shoulders, asphaltic and concrete surfacing on the Plumerville-Monette road (federal aid).

Johnson county — Construction of four miles of crushed stone base and blacktopping on the Clarksville-northwest road, state highway 103 (state project).

Washington county — About six tenths of a mile of grading, minor drainage structures and one concrete and pavement widening on state highway 71 (federal aid).

Craighead county — About 10.6 miles of grading, gravel base and bituminous surfacing and one bridge on the Lake city-Greene road, state highway 103 (federal aid).

Randolph county — Construction of five miles of crushed stone base course and double bituminous surface treatment on the Pocahontas-Fourchee road (state aid project).

Garland county — About 2.04 miles of blacktopping on the Hawes-Mountain Pine road (federal aid).

Independence county — Construction of 5.4 miles of gravel base course and blacktopping on the Rosie-Elmo road, state highway 14 (state aid project).

Lee county — About 8.2 miles of gravel base course and double bituminous surface treatment on the Marianna-Bear creek, Moro Jot and Smiths Corner-Aubrey roads (state project).

Logan county — Construction of about 2,899 miles of grading, minor drainage structures and crushed stone surface course on the Driggs-Parris road, state highway 109 (federal aid).

Crittenden — About two miles of grading, minor drainage structures and gravel surface course on the Big Creek-northeast road, Crittenden county road (federal aid).

Arkansas County Plans Courthouse

Stuttgart, Sept. 14 — (AP) — Arkansas county voters have approved a proposal to build a new \$9,540 vault at the courthouse in Stuttgart, but defeated a proposal to build a new \$115,000 jail at De Witt.

The results of Tuesday's special election were announced here today by Harley Stellmeyer, chairman of the county election board.

The projects are to be financed by continuing a one-mill tax.

Official returns: New jail, 218 for, 298 against. New storage vault, 304 for, 209 against.

(Arkansas county has two county seats.)

ACIDENTALLY WOUNDED

Los Angeles, Sept. 13 — (AP) — The grandson of motion picture producer Cecil B. De Mille was taken to Children's hospital yesterday with a bullet in his right thigh.

Allan Blount De Mille, 13, was cleaning a German automatic with his cousin, Harold D. Morgan, also 13, when the gun discharged wounding him. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. John B. De Mille.

Johannes Gutenberg published the first book ever to be printed, a Bible, in 1456.

North Star

One of the strangest Indian legends of Custer's time was that of a "medicine woman" who had green eyes and who was jealously guarded by the Fox Lodge Sioux.

This girl and her mysterious background is woven into the fictionalized story of Custer's last stand. Be sure to read the story.

NO SURVIVORS  
By Will Henry  
Starts Monday  
in  
HOPE STAR

## DOROTHY DIX "Friendly" Imposition

Dear Miss Dix: Why is it that people who have friends in a large city feel free to invite themselves at any time to stay overnight? I've a friend in a city who has a small apartment. She works five and a half days a week, has no maid service and does her own cleaning nights, Saturday afternoon and on Sunday. When she has no company she can do this at her leisure but when someone wishes to stay in the week end she has to do it all in one or two evenings, regardless of how tired she is. Then she has to try to keep up with the folks running around New York. These folks, mind you, have probably been resting up for the occasion. Of course, you know the answer and so do I, but since the visitors are spending money on a trip anyway, let them spend a bit more and stay in a hotel.

course it has a counterpart in the visitors who come swarming to a friend's seashore or mountain cottage in the summer. But in the second instance, at least the vacationers are resting and so can more easily handle the casual guests.

Consider The Hostess

A business girl is entitled to more consideration. Unless the visitors are special friends who have been specifically invited, they should not drop in for week-end or longer stays. Neither should they expect the hostess to spend her evenings after a hard day of work, acting as a guide to tourist attractions. A large city can be seen with the aid of a map, which any outdoor tourist can follow.

Certainly such visitors, even though they do park on the reluctant hostess for a night or a week end, should not expect hotel service along with the free lodgings. They should take on a fair share of the household chores in the apartment and have all meals out-taking the hostess with them. This, at least, will give her a break and take some of the irksomeness out of the visit.

SCHEDULES HEARING

Little Rock, Sept. 14 — (AP) — The Arkansas public service commission has scheduled a hearing for Oct. 8 on an Arkansas-Missouri Power Co. request for a rate increase.

Arkansas-Missouri wants to increase its rates to two Texas Eastern Transmission Corp. pumping stations in northeast Arkansas. The proposed increase would total \$127,000 annually in the basis of 1950 rates.

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**SOCIETY**

Phone 1268 or 1269 Between 8 A. M. and 4 P. M.

**Calendar**

Thursday, September 13  
The Junior Ladies Auxiliary of the Garrett Memorial Baptist Church will meet regularly on Thursday nights at 7:30 at the church.

Friday, September 14  
The Daffodil Garden Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Harold Brents at 400 South Walker, Sept. 14 at 2 p.m. All members are asked to be present as this is an important business meeting.

Saturday, September 15  
Mrs. Brents McPherson, and Mrs. Moody Willis are having an informal party at 3:30 Saturday afternoon honoring Mrs. Harold Hightower, Mrs. Jimmy Walters and Mrs. Johnny Brannan.

Tuesday, September 18  
The American Legion Auxiliary will meet Tuesday, September 18 at 7:30 in the home of Mrs. M. M. McCloughan.

Mrs. Gus Haynes Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church will have a fish fry Tuesday, September 18, at 6:30 at Fair Park. Mrs. Pauline Carter's group will be hostesses. All members are asked to be present.

Recent Bride  
Entertained  
Mrs. Dorsey Collins and Mrs. Glen Purcell complimented Mrs. Douglas D. McDowell, a recent bride, with a miscellaneous shower Thursday night from 7:30 to 9:30 in the home of Mrs. Collins on West 6th.

The dining table was covered with lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of Zinnias.  
The honoree was presented a corsage of miniature kitchen utensils. She was the recipient of many useful gifts.

Mrs. Fred Glanton presided at the punch bowl and Mrs. Purcell served the iced cakes.  
About forty guests were present for the occasion.

**Coming and Going**

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Higgason, Jr. and little daughter, Susan Jane of Helena will arrive today to spend the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Higgason.

Mrs. Newton Pentecost, Mrs. Thelma Moore, and Miss Mary Lou Moore motored to Fayetteville on Wednesday where Miss Moore will attend the University of Arkansas. Mrs. William Howard Sutton accompanied Mrs. Pentecost and Mrs. Moore home.

Mrs. J. T. Bowden Jr., Mrs. Perry Moses, Mrs. Henry Haynes, and Mrs. S. A. Whitlow attended Associational Mission Study Institute at Lewisville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. G. Hamilton

**Hospital Notes**

BRANCH  
Admitted  
Mrs. U. R. Garrett, Hope.

**Lasky Honored by Movie Industry**

Los Angeles, Sept. 13 — (AP) — Veteran Producer Jesse L. Lasky has received the Screen Producers' Guild silver wreath of honor for "historic contribution to the American motion picture."

The award was made last night by Actress Gloria Swanson on behalf of the guild and its president, William Perleberg.  
Lasky is credited with discovering such stars as Miss Swanson, Claudette Colbert, Fredric March, Gary Cooper, Walter Houston and Bing Crosby. More than 600 motion picture personalities attended the tribute to Lasky.

**U. S. Casualties  
Now Total 82,362**

Washington, Sept. 12 — (U.P.) — The defense department today reported a new total of 82,362 American battle casualties in Korea, an increase of 598 over a week ago.

The total represented casualties whose next of kin had been notified through last Friday. The actual number is higher since one to three weeks are required to notify next of kin.  
The total casualties included 13,822 dead, 59,353 wounded, 10,452 missing, 189 prisoners and 1360 formerly listed as missing but since found.

**Regains Sight  
After 19 Years**

Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 13 (AP) — Mrs. Barry Bills, 45, of Corning, has regained her sight after 19

**Printing Class  
Is Opened to  
Non-Veterans**

A campaign to acquaint high school graduates with advantages of the printing trade has been started by the Southwest School of Printing located in Dallas.

A shortage of printers exists throughout the Southwest according to officials of the school. Since the first of the year they have received more than 100 requests for men to fill vacancies in newspaper and commercial print shops.

For the first time since the late war the school is enrolling non-veteran students because entrance into training under 11,344 of the G. I. Bill of Rights terminated July 25. The next class, which starts December 4, will be open to non-veterans.

The Southwest School of Printing, owned and operated by newspaper publishers and commercial printers, is a non-profit institution founded to give young men an opportunity to enter the printing trade. The school has a large building on 18 acres at 3800 Clarendon Drive, Dallas.

Ray Abel, director of the institution, who has placed scores of young men in good printing jobs, states that possibilities for employment and advancement in the industry were never better.

This craft requires trained minds and skilled hands, but its opportunities are not confined alone to craftsmanship; there are many chances for advancement supervisory and managerial positions. The increasing demand for printed products of all kinds coupled with the fact that death and retirement are removing skilled printers faster than apprentices are being trained, gives a wonderful opportunity to high school graduates. It has an especial appeal

years of partial blindness.

She has undergone two corneal transplant operations at Syracuse General hospital.  
Bills said his wife's age was 45 instead of 60 as reported to the Associated Press by the hospital. Bills also said that his wife had had some slight vision, and been able to move about the house without assistance.

to young men with skill, ambition and creativity.  
Some of the leading newspaper publishers and executives of commercial printing firms are members of the school's board of directors. At the recent annual meeting Fred Massengill Jr., Terrell Tribune, was elected president; E. M. (Ted) Dealey of the Dallas News, vice president; and James P. Van Duss, Southwest Printing, Dallas, secretary-treasurer.

**Probers Insist  
Boyle Aided  
St. Louis Firm**

Washington, Sept. 13 (AP) — Investigating senators received sworn testimony today that the American Lithofold Corp., St. Louis printing firm, hired a government official who approved its 1944 application for a \$1,671,000 government loan.

The testimony marked the start of public hearings by the senate investigations subcommittee into the alleged influence of William M. Boyle, Jr., Democratic national chairman, in the field of government lending.

The subcommittee, headed by Senator Hoyer (D-NC) is seeking to learn why the Reconstruction Finance corporation RFC mailed three refusals loaned \$565,000 to Lithofold in 1940 after it hired Boyle as its lawyer.

J. Frank Williams, RFC examiner and first witness in the public hearings, told the senators the firm had received a prior government loan — of 1,671,000, from the old smaller war plants corporation (SWPC) in 1944. Later, Williams said, the firm hired as its treasurer E. J. Toole, the SWPC employee who approved the loan.

Toole was scheduled as the second witness in the hearing, held in a senate office building committee room well filled with spectators. Senator Hoyer said in an opening statement "the subcommittee has not sought to prejudice this case, nor will it render any final judgment until the completion of this inquiry."

He said the investigation resulted from stories published by the St. Louis Post-Dispatch concerning Boyle's connections with Lithofold, and he added that the inquiry will be "full."

Francis D. Flanagan, the sub-

committee counsel, questioned Williams closely about the financial background of Lithofold and its record for payment of the SWPC loan.

Williams said the firm, when it started its series of three unsuccessful applications for RFC loans, had a record "of not being delinquent" in its payments to the other agency. But he said it had been necessary to defer some of delinquency.

"It was a loan that had to be looked at carefully," Williams said.

Williams, questioned by Senator Mundt (R-S), brought into the inquiry the name of Frank Prince, a relative of Rep. Boykin (D-Ala). Prince was dismissed recently as assistant RFC loan manager.

Boykin has asked the subcommittee to investigate published reports that he and Prince were involved in a scheme to get an RFC loan for the Mobile Ala. paper mill company under terms which stripped its owner of control. Williams said Prince was on the SWPC staff when Lithofold got its first government loan, and helped approve the application.

The investigation comes on the heels of one by a senate banking subcommittee which accused the RFC of yielding to political influence — some of it from White House officials, and some from Boyle.

Boyle, who has said he is willing to testify anytime the subcommittee wants him to, has denied any improper actions.

**Marshal Not to  
Address Governors**

Little Rock Sept. 12 — (AP) — Secretary of Defense George C. Marshall has informed Governor McMath that he will be unable to attend the annual Southern governors' conference Nov. 11-13 at Hot Springs.

The five-star general, who resigned today as secretary of defense, wrote McMath that a conflicting engagement would prevent his appearance. Marshall was to be the principal speaker at the conference.

The governor mentioned Rep. Sam Rayburn (D-Tex) speaker of the house, as a possible alternate speaker.

**Mistrial in  
Slaying Case**

Wynne, Sept. 13 — (AP) — The trial of a 74-year-old farmer charged with killing a Negro ended in a mistrial here last night. A jury was unable to reach a decision after deliberating for seven hours.

W. H. Stokes of Vandalia is accused of the fatal shooting of Harvey Wilson, 69, at the Stokes' home last Oct. 21. Wilson and his wife had gone to the home to buy a gallon of kerosene.

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## Bobcats Again Outweighed by DeQueen

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be outwitted, once 12 pounds per  
man, when the battle with De-  
Queen at DeQueen tonight at 8  
o'clock.

The Bobcat forward wall ap-  
pears to be the DeQueen line since 13 pounds  
per man while the Hope Bobcats  
are 7 pounds lighter. The DeQueen  
line averages 15, 166 pounds to 141  
for the Bobcats.

With a full team of regulars head-  
ed by Bobcat Brown, Martin Smith,  
and Paddy Smith, the Bobcats  
are dubbed heavy potent than last  
season when they defeated Hope  
and went on to win the district  
title.

Hope has won one game, a 197  
victory over Benton, behind last  
experience gained in that contest  
is not considered enough to rate  
with the DeQueen DeQueen team.

No the Bobcats will be dependent  
on speed, deception and  
hard playing to carry them  
through. The return of Henry Lee  
to the lineup could give the Cat,  
that additional speed badly needed  
in the Stampede contest.

Coach Joe Engstrom and the  
boys will be followed by a huge  
group of local fans who liked what  
they saw in last year's contest.

## Turpin Must Wait for Third Title Bout

New York, Sept. 14. (AP) — Bart  
Turpin's third title bout must wait  
until a third title bout with  
Sugar Ray Robinson if the middle-  
weight champion's manager, George  
Gardner, has the right idea.

Gardner's master plan for the  
Harlem sugar daddy calls for a  
mid-December charity defense for  
the heart fund at New York's Mad-  
ison Square Garden. After that it  
will be Rocky Graziano in Chicago  
or Detroit, in February. Lateral  
Daulhousie in Paris and then Tur-  
pin.

A third Robinson-Turpin scrap in  
London next June is in the works  
with Jack Solomon, British pro-  
moter, trying to get it up for White  
City stadium. Nothing is definite  
yet but it is a natural after the sell-  
out crowd of 61,000 that judged the  
Polo Grounds to pay a \$767,020  
gross rate.

Robinson, wearing a patch over  
his slashed left eye and dark  
glasses, met the press yesterday  
in the private office of Ray Rob-  
inson Enterprises, Inc. in Harlem.  
He wasn't quite as definite in his  
plans as Gardner.

"First I'm going to devote a lot  
of time to my favorite charity,  
the Damon Runyon Cancer Fund,"  
he said. "I'll get back to training  
in November and fight for the  
heart fund around Christmas time.  
After that my plans are not defi-  
nite."

Maybe Sugar Ray will change his  
mind when he gets a hold of his  
\$488,491 share of the big gate but  
he says he'll retire in a year.

"I know I've slowed up in every-  
thing," he said. "I used to see an  
opening and bang the guy. Now I  
can't always make the move."

Turpin, unmarked by the battle  
although he was stopped in the 10th  
round, also repeated his plans for  
retiring in 1952. Although he's  
only 23, he said he'll go back to  
work as brick layer's laborer after  
next September, come what may.

Counting his share of the \$208,  
000 movie money, Turpin will get  
\$207,075 for the work. Income  
taxes will bite heavily into both  
purses.

Turpin still thought Referee Ruby  
Goldstein shouldn't have been so  
quick in stopping the fight. He  
claimed he was clear minded and  
ready to carry on.

"I guess they stopped it because  
my hands were down and my head  
rolling," he said. "Back in Eng-  
land I often drop my hands and  
roll my head."

"But with me the referee's de-  
cision is final. No use arguing. It  
won't change anything. I would like  
to fight here again. I was treated  
fair and square but I did have an  
objection to the referee stopping it."

Robinson offered with Turpin on  
the referee's action.

"He was helpless," said Ray.  
"He couldn't defend himself."

Robinson summed up Turpin as  
a boy with an "awkward style who  
does everything wrong." "Right,"  
Figure that out on your double  
talk meter.

"Let her go!" he shouted at  
Jose Montera and then there was  
a blur of flying fists and Jose stag-  
gered back, holding his jaw.

By that time two servants and  
Ray had caught up with Steve  
and managed to hold him back.

"How did you get out of jail?"  
demanded Jose, furiously. "Not  
until she married me were you to  
be released—nor for a long time  
after."

"Hernandez put up bail for  
him," groaned Ray. "But now—!"

"Now, for assaulting an officer,  
you go back, and there is no bail!"  
screamed Jose. "Understand? No  
bail!"

"Steve," said Holly, urgently.  
"Listen to me! I promised to  
marry Jose so that you wouldn't  
be shot as a spy. Now look what  
you've done!"

Jose turned to her. "Go with  
them," he said. "I shall see you  
tomorrow, Senorita, and I shall  
insist you keep your promise—but  
he will get all the law de-  
mands!"

"Well," Ray said to Steve as  
they climbed into his car. "I must  
say you've made a mess of things  
now!"

"Did you think I'd let Holly  
marry that guy just to save me  
from a few weeks in the policy?"

"A few weeks!" cried Holly.  
"He told me they were going to  
shoot you!"

"They might at that!" said Ray.  
"Now you've assaulted an officer  
of the law too! There's a limit  
to what Hernandez will do even  
for a future son-in-law. Why  
didn't you keep your head?"

"Keep my head!" Steve shouted.

## Bartosh Can Lead Frogs to a Title

"This is another in a series  
of Southwest conference foot-  
ball contests."

Fort Worth, Tex., Sept. 14. —  
The Texas Christian Horned Frogs  
could win the Southwest conference  
football title this fall, and they  
could finish a hat trick.

On the surface, the Christian  
appear to have good manpower,  
experience, skill and experience.

The team returned back from  
the Texas Tech football Texas A. and  
M. on their last year.

But there is a significant factor in  
the loss suffered. Without ques-  
tion, the most vexing problem is  
"defense." Three of the Christian  
top heads under operations for last  
year last year. If the results  
and permit the three stars to go  
at top speed all season, the Frogs  
definitely will be contenders.

The most desirable knees belong to  
G. Bartosh, Malvin Fowler and  
Keith Flowers.

Bartosh's knee is the most im-  
portant. The "Gunner" will  
lead the team to victory. As a  
defensive back, he is playing a  
"one back" the last five games. He  
did everything a Frog tackle should  
do. He completed 77 of 150  
plays to climb high in the confer-  
ence's all-time list. He ran 362  
yards, he was tops in total offense  
for the conference and fourth in  
the nation. And he was an out-  
standing play selector.

So, if the Bartosh leg permits its  
owner to go all the way, the Frogs  
will have a potent offense.

Almost as important in the Frogs  
is the knee. The big senior is due to  
captain the Frog defense.

Flower is slated to start at left  
half and can fill in at tailback.  
With Bartosh at quarter, power,  
and Bobby Jack Floyd at full, Flor-  
er at left half and big John Har-  
ville at right half, the purple at-  
tack should be dangerous indeed.  
Floyd hits 200, Harville 200.

There is fairly good secondary  
replacements, too. Such veterans as  
John McDermid, Bobby McFarland  
and Jack Ray, who came up in spurts  
during the season, could help out  
there. There are some fine soph-  
omores.

In the line, the Frogs have some  
question marks, particularly at of-  
fensive tackle and defensive ends.  
Last year's linemen, Willie Mar-  
tin and Joe Frank Stuska hurt the  
tackle posts. Graduation of 11  
Moorman twins, Bill and Bob, re-  
moved two four-year end veterans  
who could really operate.

Norman Hughes, who started  
some games last year, is back at  
offensive left tackle, backed by  
Morgan Williams, sophomore son  
of T.C.'s 1928 all-conference per-  
former, Jack Williams. They could  
do it but right tackle is most  
doubtful. Tom Evans, who missed  
all last season with a knee injury,  
is due to start but he has had no  
varsity experience.

The rest of the offensive line  
looks fairly good. Back at end,  
are Wilson George and Ted Vaughn.  
Huge Carleton McCormack re-  
turns at center and senior Walter  
Taylor is back at right guard. Jack  
Ramsay, sophomore, promises to  
take over left guard. Reserves in  
the middle of the line are just  
"fair."

Coach Dutch Meyer believes de-  
fense will be the key to the Frogs  
success. Last year, his defense  
led for an average of 279.3  
yards per game. That was too  
much for the offense to overcome.  
Meyer plans to spend much time  
personally with the defense this  
year.

For his defensive unit, Meyer has  
six veterans. They are seniors Doug  
Conaway and Herb Zimmerman at  
left guard and tackle; Bill Buck  
at right guard; Flowers and Har-  
ville as linebackers, and McFar-  
land at right half. If Harville  
used on offense, he'll be replaced  
on defense, probably by Jim An-  
derson, a letterman at fullback.

At the questionable ends, Lett-  
erman Wayne Martin and Charles  
Rogers are back but may need  
help. Center Roy Pitcock, a senior,  
may be used some at the spot.  
R. C. Harris, a lanky soph, is due  
to start at right tackle.

In the mountains—the men who  
helped with the banana cutting.  
"They've set fire to the jail!"  
Ray gasped.

"Americans!" shouted one man  
as he rushed by.

Elsa caught his arm. "Ray! If  
it's against us Americans—don't  
go down there!"

He released her hold on his arm  
gently, pressing her fingers af-  
fectionately. "I have to, Elsa.  
Steve's down there and I have to  
do what I can to protect him in  
the name of the United States  
Government. That's what I'm  
here for—besides growing bananas.  
I'm consul, and I represent  
the flag."

"But you can't do anything,"  
Elsa begged. "You know as well  
as I do that these people are re-  
sponsible when they're stirred  
up as they seem to be now!"

"I know," he said, "but a chance  
word may turn the tide the other  
way just as easily."

He had been arming himself  
with a revolver in a shoulder  
holster as he talked and putting  
extra ammunition into the pockets  
of his light coat.

"You stay here," he told Elsa  
and Holly. "Lock the doors and  
barricade the windows like we do  
for hurricane warnings, and don't  
let anyone inside."

The two women stood motionless  
for the five minutes, watching  
his hurrying figure growing less  
and less distinct as it moved down  
the mountain trail toward the red-  
lighted cluster of houses around  
the police station and jail.

Then they turned with the same  
impulse and began putting on their  
coats.

"If he thinks I'm going to stay  
here while he's . . ." began Elsa.  
"You stay here while I go—"

Holly shook her head. "I'm go-  
ing with you. If I hadn't come  
down here, none of this would  
have happened. And maybe—if I  
see Jose—"

"I'm afraid it's gone beyond  
Jose's powers to help," said Elsa  
worriedly. "That poke Steve took  
at Jose was an insult all the peo-  
ple have resented. It looks to me  
as if they're storming the jail—"

lych Steve!"

(To Be Continued)

## PRESCOTT NEWS

Sunday, September 16

The Youth choir of the First  
Baptist church will meet Sat-  
day at 5 p.m. for rehearsal under the  
direction of Charles Miller, the  
Training Union will meet at 6:30  
before dinner at the speaker.

There will be a Young Peoples  
service at the Assembly of God  
church Sunday at 7 p.m. Men's  
meeting at 7 p.m. W.M.C. prayer  
meeting at 7 p.m. and children's  
service at 7 p.m.

The Pioneer Fellowship of the  
First Presbyterian Church will  
meet Sunday at 5 p.m. Mrs. Mudge  
Barnes is speaker. The youth  
Fellowship will meet at 6 p.m. Sep-  
tember 21 will be served by Mrs. Wallace  
Ponder and Mrs. Joe R. Ham-  
mon.

The Young People of the First  
Methodist Church will meet Sun-  
day at 6:30 p.m. for worship, fel-  
lowship and recreation.

Circle 2 of W.M.S.  
Meets in Johnson Home  
Circle 2 of the W.M.S. of the  
First Baptist Church met on Mon-  
day afternoon at 2:30 in the home  
of Mrs. Clifford Johnson with seven  
members present.

Lovely arrangements of late  
summer flowers decorated the  
rooms.

The meeting was opened with  
prayer by Mrs. J. W. Grimes. Mrs.  
Gordon Hamner, chairman, presided  
and conducted the business.

Mrs. Hamner presenting an in-  
spiring devotional talks of a char-  
acter study on Hannah. The meet-  
ing closed with prayer by Mrs. W.  
L. Britt.

Delicious refreshments were ser-  
ved by the hostess during the so-  
cial hour.

Mrs. Wilburn Willis  
Hostess to Circle 4 of W.M.S.  
Mrs. Wilburn Willis was hostess  
to circle 4 of the W.M.S. of the First  
Baptist Church at her home on  
Monday afternoon.

A variety of colorful flowers de-  
corated the rooms. Mrs. Hardy  
Bradley opened the meeting with  
prayer. The chairman, Mrs. Willis,  
conducted the business session.

An interesting study on Hannah  
was presented by Mrs. Leroy Phis-  
tins.

During the social hour the host-  
ess served a dainty dessert course  
to the six members present.

W.M.S. Has  
Business Meeting  
The W.S.C.S. of the First Metho-  
dist church met at the church on  
Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock  
for the September business meet-  
ing.

Mrs. Gene Hale, president, pre-  
sided and the meeting was opened  
with the hymn "Help Somebody to-  
day." The devotional talk, "Ser-  
vice Inspired by Love," was given  
by Mrs. O. G. Hirst.

The minutes of the last meeting  
were read by the secretary, Mrs.  
Hirst. Reports of officer were  
heard.

The meeting adjourned with pray-  
er by the president. Cold drinks  
were enjoyed at the close of the  
meeting.

Mrs. H. E. Davis has returned  
from Kansas City where she has  
been a patient at Thornton-Minor  
Clinic.

Mrs. John McGill has been the  
recent guest of relatives in Little  
Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Pederson  
have returned to their home in  
North Country, Texas after a week  
visit with her parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. Allen Geo. Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Crow of  
Little Rock are spending the week  
with their parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
Jesse Crow and Mr. and Mrs. L.  
M. Cummings.

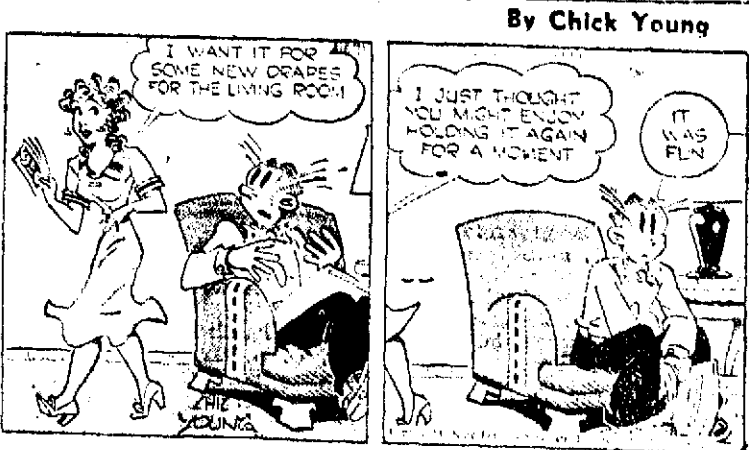
Mrs. Bob Reynolds and son John  
and Bobbie and Mrs. J. T. Wor-  
thington were Monday afternoon  
visitors in Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Davis of  
Houston, Texas are the guests of  
his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ray  
Davis and her mother Mrs. Genie Cum-  
mings.

In the mountains—the men who  
helped with the banana cutting.  
"They've set fire to



BLONDIE



By Chick Young

OZARK IKE



By Roy Goffe

Implement

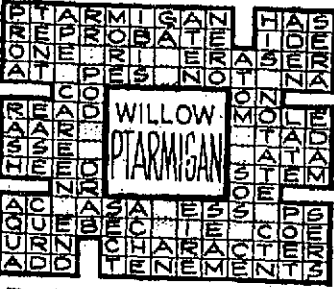
**HORIZONTAL**

- 1 Depicted tool
- 4 It is made of
- 9 Metric measures
- 12 Pastry
- 13 Young insect
- 14 Nocturnal flying mammal
- 15 Cushion
- 16 Overturned
- 17 Goddess of infatuation
- 18 Hypothetical force
- 19 Guided
- 21 Not (prefix)
- 22 Withered
- 24 Short jacket
- 26 Give forth
- 27 Not one
- 28 "Green" Mountain State" (ab.)
- 29 Palmlike plant
- 30 Morindin dye
- 31 Illium (symbol)
- 32 Ego
- 34 Ego
- 37 German river
- 38 Actual
- 39 Mystic ejaculation
- 40 Comforts
- 46 Sodium (symbol)
- 47 Plunge
- 49 Tooth
- 50 Mongrel
- 51 Age
- 52 Once more
- 53 Malt beverage
- 54 Fresh

**VERTICAL**

- 1 Place next
- 2 Crown
- 3 Letter of alphabet
- 4 Sloven
- 5 Blind
- 6 Gaelic
- 7 Always
- 8 Terdy
- 9 Striped garment
- 10 Allowance
- 11 British novelist
- 19 Pioneers
- 20 Tooth doctors
- 23 Shore
- 25 Laborer
- 32 Its handle usually is
- 33 Respect
- 35 Narrow crescent
- 36 Dreaded
- 41 Persian poet
- 42 Theater box
- 43 Mountains in Asia
- 44 Adam's son
- 45 Sea eagles
- 48 Animal foot
- 50 Eccentric wheel

Answer to Previous Puzzle



OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



OUR BOARDING HOUSE

With Major Hoople



VIC FLINT

By Michael O'Malley and Ralph Lane



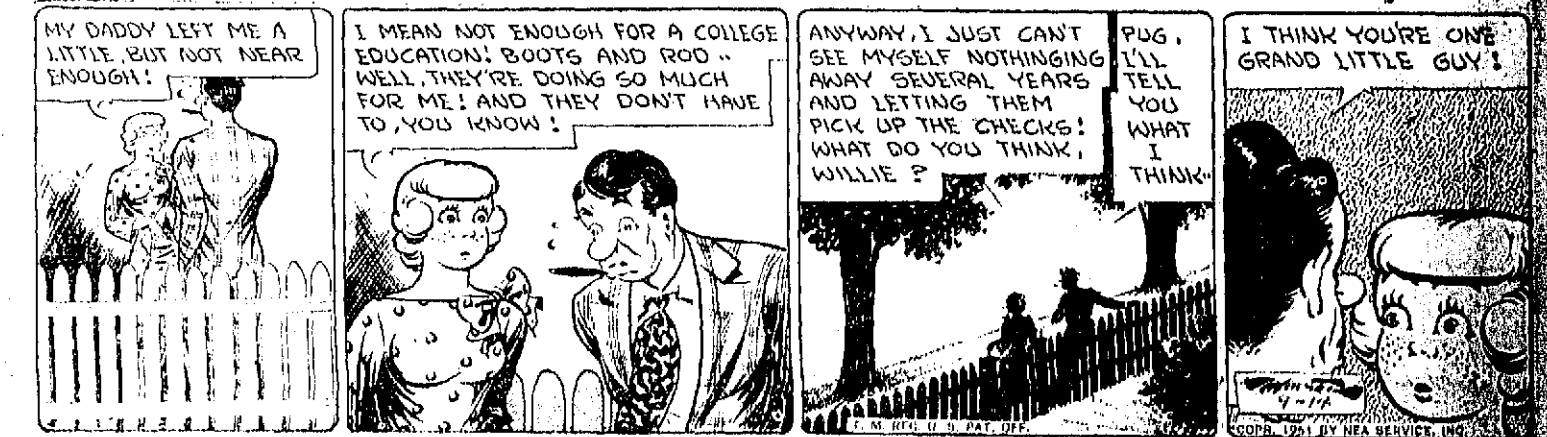
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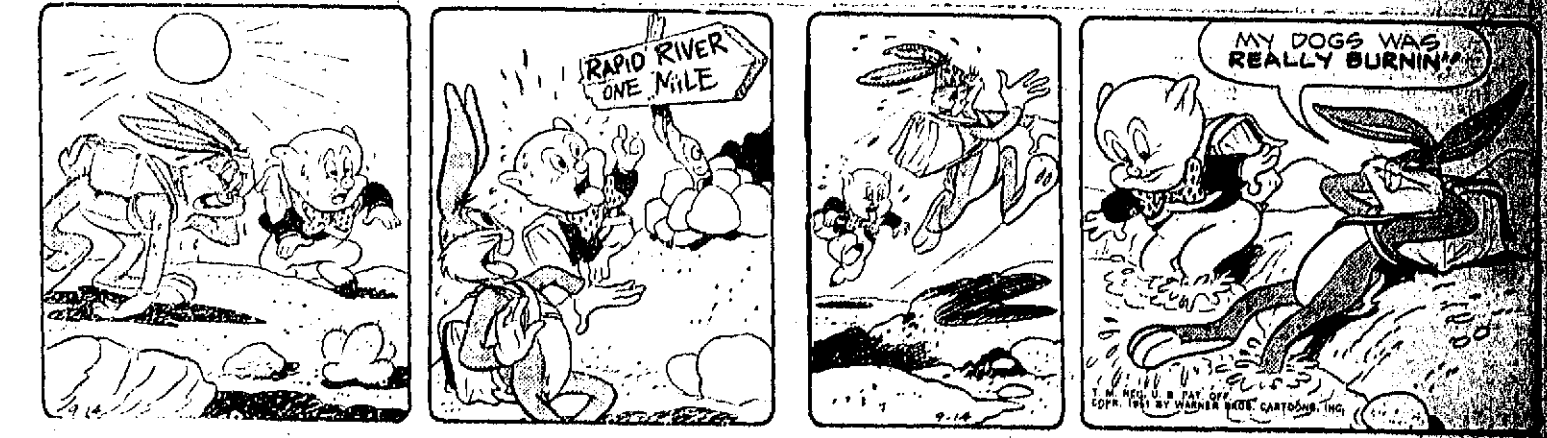


ROOTS AND HER BUDDIES

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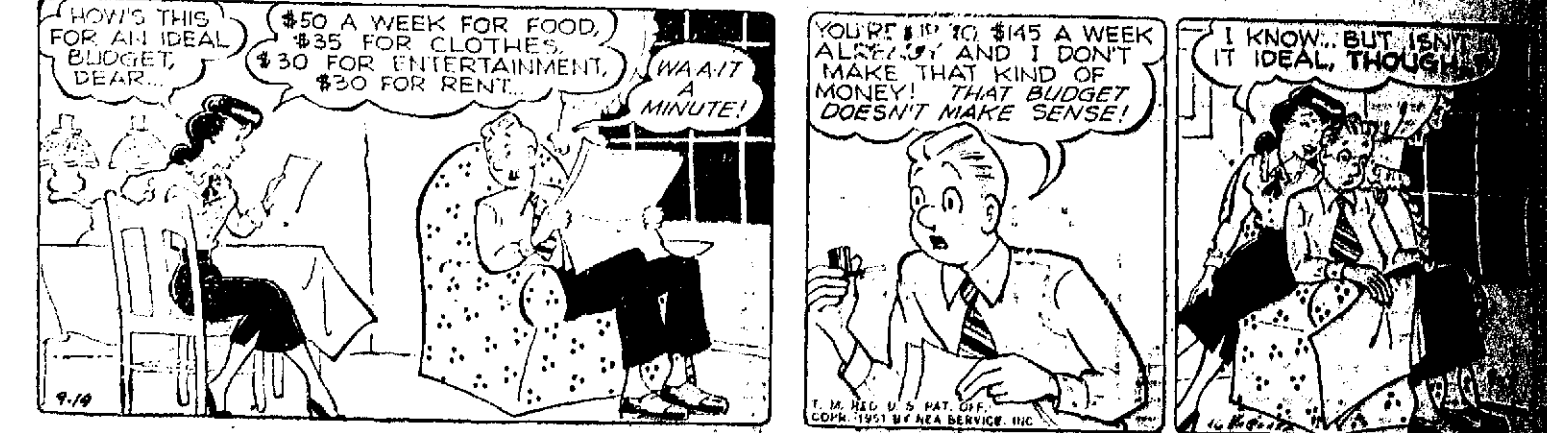


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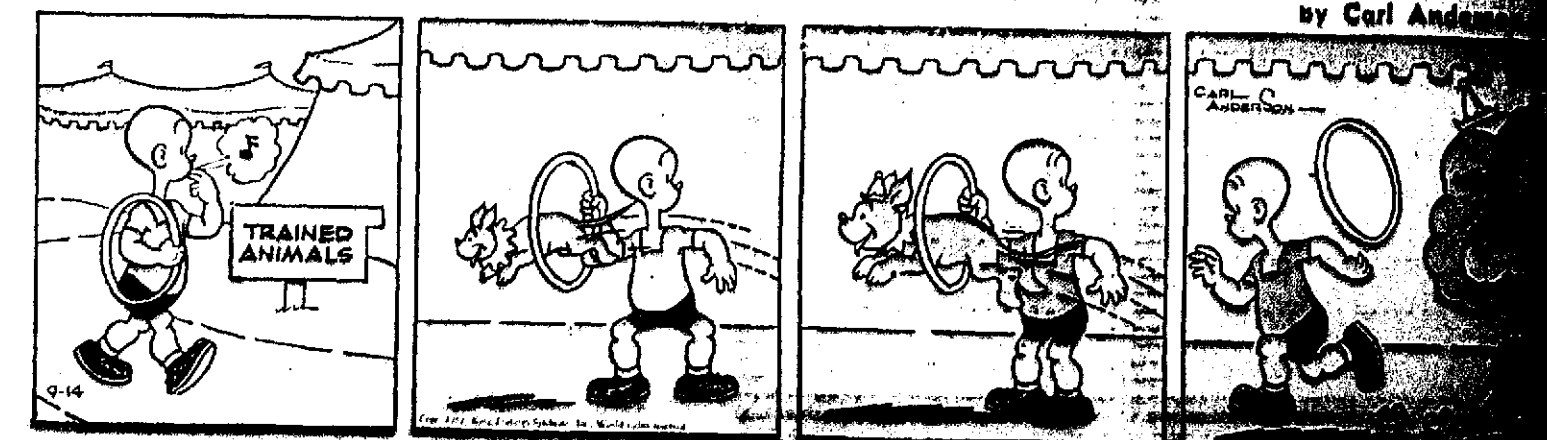


PRISCILLA'S POP



HENRY

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CARNIVAL

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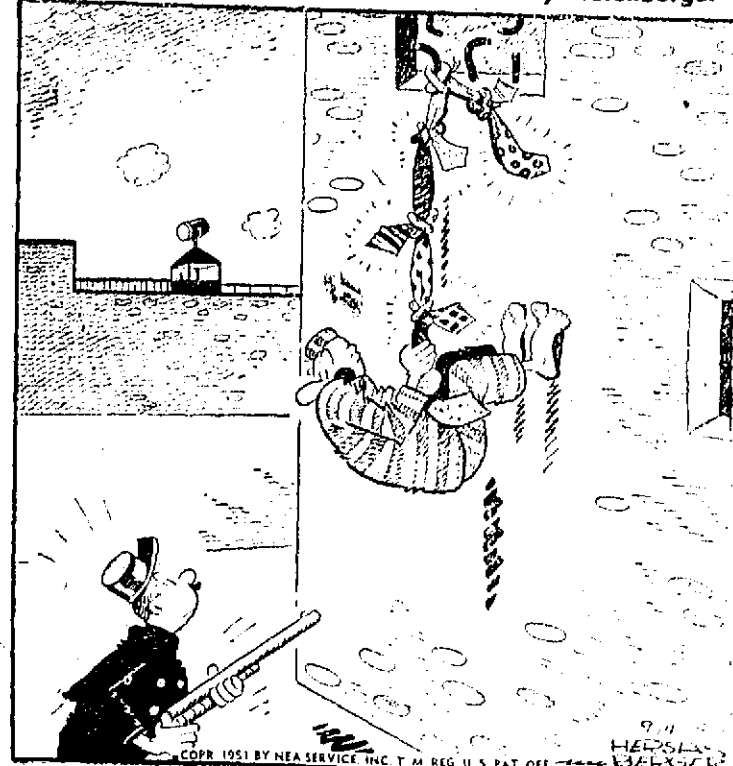
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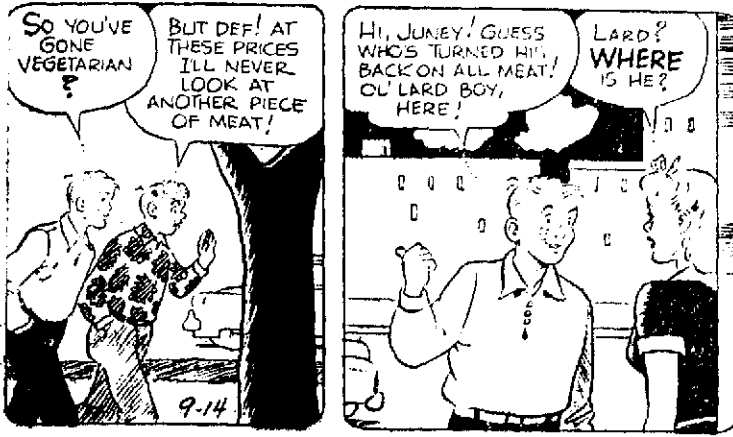
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